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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 29, 2005, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.
